To Circulation

To Due other Banks...

To Profit and Loss......
To Discount and Interest account.....

and interest...... By Bills Discounted.....

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The Markets.

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MARINE LIST.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA- FEBRUARY 21.

MEMORANDA.

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for Providence, arrived at Newport 19th inst.

Prince William county, feb 22-colw

I have declined being a candidate for the office

of Sheriff, and return my thanks to those of my

friends who have so kindly offered me their sup-

Ze LECTURE. - The Rev. Dr. REESE, of Bal

timore, will deliver a Lecreus in the Methodist Protestant Church, on FRIDAY EVENING, the

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Notes of other Banks

CONGRESS.

[REPORTED FOR THE ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE.] Senate, Tuesday, February 21.

Mr. Brown from the Committee on the District of Columbia, reported a bill authorizing the Corporation of Washington city to issue stock to the amount of \$200,000 for the erection of a new Centre Market-house; read third time and passed.

Mr. Seward introduced a bill for the immediate admission of Kansas into the Union, and gave notice that he would call it up for reference on Wednesday next.

Mr. Green gave notice that he would resought to declare that the Representatives sist any attempt to pass the bill without reof Maryland should vote for a democrat only ference, as the committee now had a bill on that subject before them.

Mr. Seward (playfully.)—I would like to know what would be the nature of the resistance, whether peaceable or not? Mr. Green .- It will be one of those "ir-

repressible conflicts" we read of. (Laugh-Mr. Mason, of Va., reported a resolution directing the president of the Senate to is-

sue his warrant for the arrest of Thaddeus Hyatt, who had refused to obey the summons the Harper's Ferry investigating committee, and the Sargeant at Arms have the said Heatt at the bar of the Senate to answer as for a contempt. Mr. Hale of N. H., denied that the constiion authorized the arrest of persons by the

legislative authority, and bringing them from their homes to Washington. He thought it was a flagrant usurpation of federal power. porteress of hell gates," who:-Mr. Mason said that although the Senate had never compelled the attendance of witnesses, it had confined them for refusing to With mortal sting: About her middle round

Mr. Hale replied, in that case the witnesses had obeyed the summons, and thus acknowledged the authority of the Senate. Mr. Mason responded, that no consent of the witness could give jurisdiction, if the

law gave none. Mr. Pugh, of Ohio, said that since the vote ready to let loose the Satans who would deswas taken the other day, he had examined troy this fair Union-men not capable of arthe subject, and was convinced that the Senate had no such power.

Mr. Collamer, of Vt., thought the power was clearly incident to the specific powers granted to the Senate by the constitution. The resolution was adopted by a vote of applauded by every man whose opinion I res-

yeas 43 nays 12. Mr. Pugh introduced a bill in regard to the assignees of Bounty Land Warrants. After some unimportant business, the Senate took up the bill in relation to Banking sent him, that he would come as a free-man,

pending which, The Senate went into executive session, and after some time spent therein, adjourned a consolation. until Thursday next.

House of Representatives.

Mr. Smith, of N. C., made a personal explanation relative to misrepresentations which had been made throughout the country with reference to his position in the American party. It had been said that he had made or authorized the declaration, not only that he had never been connected with the American party, and did not concur with any of his constituents knew it. the features of its body, but had denounced and repudiated the party. He would say with regard to this statement, in favor of the fugitive slave law, but his

that he had always been an old-line whig. constituents knew it. It was true he had never been a member of the American organization, and though there expected to know that Mr. Pennington was Streets. Adjourned. were some and many measures of that party | a whig, in favor of stopping agitation on the that commended themselves to his approval, slavery question, but his constituents knew there were others which were proscriptive it. in principle, that he could not concur in.

Mr. Morris, of Ill., from the Committee on being called "abolitionists," had deserted Roads and Cauals, reported a bill to give him, and voted for this censure. Some of the assent of Congress to action of the States them had rode to office on his shouldersof Louisiana, Michigan, Arkansas and Tex- (Applause) and seemed not to understand as, relative to the removal of the Red River that when they cut the limb on which they

The bill was recommitted. Mr. Washburn, from the select committee sented a strange sight. When a Democrats appointed to enquire into the expediency of name was called, he signalized his hate by a removing the present seats, and replacing the loud response, but when the clerk called the chairs and desks, reported in favor of having the seats removed at the earliest practical was no response; the second, a shuffling, and moment, and the chairs and seats replaced, on the third and last call, there was a relucconforming as nearly as possible to the original arrangement; and in order to afford re- ted every time an American's name was callquisite time for the accomplishment of this ed. They looked over their shoulders to see object, they suggest that the House (the Sen- some chance of avoiding the vote, but the ate concurring) adjourn from Monday next | Democrats opened their capacious mouths

until Friday, the 5th of March. Mr. Miles submitted a minority report, dissenting from the views entertained in the majority report, and in favor of retaining the had seen the Democrats on this floor swallow

present benches. The resolution relative to a change from the present benches to the desks used by the

last Congress, was agreed to. The resolution that when the House adjourn, it be until the 5th day of March next, not seem to recollect that in 1827 one glori-

was laid on the table.

to investigate the subject of the Public hounded with the cry of Bargain and Cor-Printing, to turn over the books, papers, &c., ruption, till he lived to put his villifiers to in their possession, to the Standing Commit- shame. "I have set at his feet in political tee on Public Expenditures, which, after teaching, I can follow his path of political debate, was agreed to by a vote of 92 ayes | martydom." He knew that the negro ques tion was not the only "absorbing question; to 29 noes. Mr. Hoard, of New York, introduced a other questions too had been "absorbing,"

resolution of inquiry, as to whether impro- and had passed away from living politics. per influence had been used to control the No man was fit for public station, who did action of members, pending which the spe- not take his political life in his hand and do cial order, the election of a printer, was call-

Mr. Washburne, of Maine, moved to postpone the special order, which motion was as one of the Representatives of the whole agreed to by yeas 86, nays 82. The House then went into Committee of from his friends, and assume alone a respon-

the Whole on the State of the Union, Mr. sibility, with none to divide, or breast it with Washburne, of Illinois, in the chair, and took up the President's message.

Mr. Lamar, of Mississippi, addressed the committee at length, in defence of Southern | the House of Representatives during the views, delivering an able, beautiful, and ballot for Speaker—the like of which was eloquent reply to the Black Republican only found in the Revolutionary assemblies speech of Mr. Ferry, of Connecticut, deliv- of Paris, -of a solemn embassy waiting on a ered some time since.

Mr. Davis, of Md., then addressed the revolutionary Congress, and declared that committee. The honorable, the legislature as a representative, sworn to support, not a of Maryland, has decorated me with its cen- future Confederacy, but a present Union, it sure. It is my purpose to acknowledge that was his duty to organize the government, compliment. It is long since the dominant lest it be found disorganized when an attempt party in the Maryland legislature have had was made against it-a peaceable secession control of the State, and they show fully which meant the stoppage of U.S. Marshals their lack of experience. It is possible the the driving from the seats of justice of U.S. present possessors of power are as much sur- Judges, and the destruction of the Federal prised at their elevation, as are their oppo- fabric. nents. They seem as bewildered as Chris- In these circumstances he saw no other topher Sly waking in a nobleman's cham- path of duty than to give to the Union a ber, and wondering whether indeed he were peace offering—a period of repose, that men

a Lord or not. Elevation in position has never changed There was no act of his life that he more the disposition of those elevated to positions approved of, and none he would more wilfor which they are unfitted. There was no lingly repeat. He thought that the raid of department to which the legislature have not | John Brown had been unduly magnified. He applied their fingers, and it would do them | was a fanatic fool, who sought to revenge faninjustice to say they had succeeded at any. cied wrongs in Kansas by a thievish raid, Unelevated by the proud hall in which they intended for plunder-which could not be sit, the caucus rules, a whisper from a Balti- dignified with an invasion. The sectional more Attorney, or move from a partizan, spirit and the morbid feeling of the times and private character is stabbed without a which makes every path to a scaffold, Ja-

It would probably revive in the memories ven, -a spirit, which reversed the old forof the people of Maryland the great calami- mula that ushered a criminal into eternity ty it is, to have that party dominant in both with a prayer for mercy, into that other houses of the Legislature. They had been well-known farewell, "Son of St. Louis, asbusy ever since their first week in remedying | cend to Heaven.." the defects in laws enacted by their own blunders. They were anxious to follow the deplorable example set by some States, and to the allies of assassins and incendiaries, enslave the men our fathers set free, and they would have accepted the declaration of

confiscate their miserable earnings. They Mr. Sherman, that no legislation affecting were diligent but unsuccessful students of slavery was proposed during the present the Congressional debates, and sought to Congress, and have on that platform given imitate uncommendable examples. Certain the country peace, and silenced the secrespectable attorneys learned in special tional agitation. pleading had there undertaken to repeal an organic law by an act of the Legislature.

This was not sufficient. It said nothing should be pressed upon Congress; about the negro. Accordingly it was provid when his hour expired. Adjourned.

LOCAL ITEMS.

The minutes of the last meeting were To Deposits

ded that no endorser of the Helper book should be a _____ policeman, (laughter,) or have anything to do with the Baltimore CITY COUNCIL, LAST NIGHT.-BOARD OF ALDERMEN,—Present, Messrs. Barton, Lamber 31st, 1859. City Railroad, (Laughter.) He assured bert, Armstrong, Bryan, Reid and Fowle .gentlemen called in this House, "Helper-The President being absent, Mr. Reid was To Capital Stock. elected President pro tem.

ites," that when they returned home if they

sought admittance into the cars at Balti-

more, they would have to pass a political

examination at the door, or miss the light-

They next assumed the guardianship of

one of the Representatives of Maryland, and

knowing that however much he respected

for Speaker. It is true that these legisla-

tors were more inclined to study the Cin-

cinnati platform, than Blair's Rhetoric or

Whateley's compend; and therefore could

not say what they meant. So ambiguous

was the resolution, that the opposition mem-

bers supposed it was intended to reflect on

the democracy in Congress, and so voted for

it. (laughter.) Next they brought forth these

resolutions condemning the course of the

Hon, H. W. Davis, who, acting as a Repre-

sentative from Maryland, had voted for Mr.

Pennington. He wished that these gentle

men would act as legislators of Maryland.

They presumed to censure him for his course.

who sent this message, take it back? I will

speak to your masters. (Applause.) The

Legislature could not be described so well

as the words of Milton describing the "grim

seem'd woman to the waist, and fair;

With wide Cerberean months, fall loud, and run

A hideous peal: yet when they list would ereep,

And kennel there; yet there still bark'd, and howl'd

gument or ready for open encounter,- were

his constituents. That vote is honored and

small demons who could only scratch.

vengeance came late, but justly.

The Legislature of Maryland could not be

The Legislature of Maryland could not be

He regreted that his friends, in fear of

stood, they too must fall. When the roll was

name of an American-the first time there

He could appreciate the feelings of the

Mr. Smith of N. C. (Laughter and Applause.)

tion all the obliquy which might be cast on

him. He had no doubt he would be well

hounded. The Maryland Legislature did

district of Maryland, but in a wider sense,

country, and pained as he was to separate

him, he had done so considerately, and felt

He drew a lively picture of the state of

sovereign State seeking to create again a

might have cooling time before they acted.

satisfied.

and in they went. (Laughter.)

They, like her, false to their mission, were

A cry of Hell-hounds never-ceasing bark'd,

If aught disturb'd their noise into her womb

But ended foul in many a scaly fold

Within unseen.

He would tell the honorable gentlemen

ning train. (Laughter.)

read and approved. The resolution offered by Mr. Armstrong at the last meeting, "instructing the Commissioners of Election how to construe their oaths of office," was taken up, and explained, and enforced at length by the mover in individual democrats he would never vote reply to some objections of Mr. Bryan, and By State Stock and Guaranteed Bonds for one of them to fill political office, they the ayes any noes being taken thereon it was rejected by the following vote, aye, Mr. Armstrong; noes, Messrs. Fowle, Bryan,

Barton, and Reid, 5. The bill of George W. Brent, Attorney of the Corporation, for local services, and an application of Rev. D. Francis Sprigg, for the remission of a tax, were received and referred to the Committee on Claims; and the petition of the Alexandria Flour Mill Company for an alteration in their lease, so as to permit the use of the Pioneer Mills for any other manufacturing purposes, was read and referred to the Committee on Public Property.

The application of the Alexandria Library Company, for the free use of gas in the the Committee on Light

The Board concurred in the order of the active, but closed lower at 24 tc. Common Council, appropriating \$50 for the further support of the Soup House. Mr. Armstrong from the Committee on

laims, made the following reports, viz: On the application of George Washington, for remission of tax on slaves-favora-

On that of P. E. Hoffman, for remission of tax on bonds—favorably. On that of Charles R. Hooff, for remission

of tax on bonds-favorably. On that of Ulam W. Barker, for remission of tax on slave—favorably.

On that of R. H. Miller, for remission of paving tax-favorably, having been erroneously assessed, which reports were adopted. Also, in favor of remitting a tax on bonds erroneously charged to Asher W. Gray, which report was adopted.

He had given the vote for Mr. Pennington The "Act amending an act, prohibiting the under the full sense of his responsibility to erection of wooden buildings," referred by this Board to the Committee on General Laws. peet. I am this day stronger in my district was returned from the lower Board with an than all the banded body of the Legislature amendment, whereupon Mr. Fowle moved to adhere to the former action of this Board .rammed and bound into one man. (Ap-He, though a member of the Committee from plause.) He had told his people when they which this bill purported to have emanated, and bank notes in the District of Columbia, or not all. He knew that his constituents had never seen it before. He had been approved of what he had done, and that, soundly rated in the newspapers for signing though not the reason of the act, was at least a document read at the last meeting. He had examined that report, and was willing to The Maryland legislature could not be stand by it, but he was not willing to be expected to know the gentleman chosen held responsible for matter he had not ex-Speaker as that Wm. Pennington, whose amined. Mr. Reid said that he, also, was a name and broad seal was disregarded by a member of the same Committee, but had Democratic House of Representatives. His never seen the bill. Mr. Fowle's motion constituents knew this, and thought that was then adopted.

The lower Board having refused to concur in the action of this Board on the claim of the expected to know that Gen. Taylor had ap- Mount Vernon Guards, Messrs. Bryan and pointed Mr. Pennington to a high office, but | Fowle were appointed a Committee of Conference and reported after consultation, in favor of concuring in the action of the expected to know that Mr. Pennington was lower Board, which report was adopted.

The Board concurred in the reference of the order directing a fire plug to be placed The Legislature of Maryland could not be on the S. E. Corner of Fairfax and Wilkes

COMMON COUNCIL.-James S. Hallowell, cast District in the County of Fauquier, to be voted President pro tem presiding.

The bill prohibiting the erection of wooden buildings within certain limits, was reconsidered, and so amended as to require the assent of the Mayor and City Council, to the execution of such buildings, and passed buildings within certain limits, was reconthe erection of such buildings, and passed as amended.

the expenses of the Soup House. Mr. Smoot introduced a resolution, inquir-

called, the Legislative hall of Maryland preing into the expediency of requiring the numbers of carts to be placed on one of the numbers of carts to be placed on one of the standards, as well as on the side of the cart.

He explained that the carts of the town were not of a uniform width, and that by

SILVER SOAP, for cleaning Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding's Prepared Glue; Gas Lighters, The Patent Egg Beater; German Matches; Hour Glasses; Egg Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding's Prepared Glue; Gas Lighters, The Patent Egg Beater; German Matches; Hour Glasses; Egg Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding's Prepared Glue; Gas Lighters, The Patent Egg Beater; German Matches; Hour Glasses; Egg Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding's Prepared Glue; Gas Lighters, The Patent Egg Beater; German Matches; Hour Glasses; Egg Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding's Prepared Glue; Gas Lighters, The Patent Egg Beater; German Matches; Hour Glasses; Egg Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding's Prepared Glue; Gas Lighters, The Patent Egg Beater; German Matches; Hour Glasses; Egg Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding's Prepared Glue; Gas Lighters, The Patent Egg Beater; German Matches; Hour Glasses; Egg Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding's Prepared Glue; Gas Lighters, The Patent Egg Beater; German Matches; Hour Glasses; Egg Silver, Britania, and Plated Wares; Chamoise Skins; Spaulding Silver, Britania, and Plat

tant vote in the affirmative. This was repea- changing standards the cord marks of one cart might be used for another, and thus Coffee Reasters; Smith's Patent Lard Lamp, for purchasers defrauded. The resolution was referred to the Committee on General Laws.

Council concurred in Aldermen's action, relative to the account of G. W. Brent, esq., Attorney of the Corporation; Rev. D. F. American members on that occasion, for he Sprigg; A. W. Gray; R. H. Miller; C. R. feb 22 Hooff; G. Washington; U. W. Barker, and IMLOUR. 100 bbls. "Greenway" FAMILY P. E. Hoffman. He should meet with becoming resigna-

Council refused to concur in Alderman's action, relative to the appropriation of \$200. to the Mount Vernon Guards, as, also, in their action relative to the act prohibiting the erection of Wooden Buildings, and on ous Representative in the other Hall had both subjects asked a Committee of Confertaken the responsibility, and voted for John recting that the special committee appointed | Quincy Adams. Ever afterwards was he | ence. Messrs. Richards and Dorsey were appointed said Committee, and Conneil ad-

> Lent. - The season of Lent commences to-day, (Ash Wednesday,) and will terminate at Easter, on the 8th of April. This is a penitential season, appointed by the Church in primitive times for special selfexamination, sorrow, and contrition; for acts of humiliation and charity; for fasting and his duty to his country. He stood there not merely as the Representative of the fourth on the 22nd of February, the day will be observed in different ways, by some as an Ecclesiastical Feast, and by others as a Na-

> > ASH WEDNESDAY, -Christ Church will be opened for Divine service, this morning, at Il o'clock, and for Evening Prayer at 4

HOME MANUFACTURED CREAM ALE. - H. S. Martin, at his Brewery, upper end of King street, is manufacturing a superior article of Cream Ale, and while so good an article can be had of home manufacture, why should 6000 SACKS GROUND ALUM SALT. our citizens go from home to purchase. We believe in the encouragement of home industry in all its branches, and know it is the plainly marked road of prosperity for cities as well as individuals.

Donations to the Sour House.—Since his last report, Mr. Whittington, Superintenlent, acknowledges the following additional contributions to the Soup House :- Lancet, \$5; a Lady from Fanquier, \$2.50; Dr. J. M. Stevens, \$5; a Friend, one barrel of fish and a lot of potatoes and beef.

DEMOCRATIC DISTRICT CONVENTION. We understand that the Delegates to the late State Democratic Convention, held a meeting in Richmond, and determined to hold to examine them before purchasing other makes. the District Convention, for the appointment | Wholesale dealers supplied by of a Delegate to Charleston, at Warrenton.

THANKS,-Mr. R. W. Falls, Agent of "The which makes every path to a scaffold, Ja-cob's ladder, and a gallows, the gate of hea-

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hannock county, E. C. Moore, of the late firm of Harris & Moore; J. T. Woolfolk, of Orange county; P. S. Dawson, Nelson county. Apply at this office.

COMMERCIAL. POSTSCRIPT. Bank of Winchester. Statement of the Bank of Winchester, Decem-

\$113,000 00

94,100 49

3,711 18

192 50

\$312,559 16

BY MAGNETIC TELEGRAPH.

Important from Mexico. 23,980 99 3,401 50 to the 13th are to hand. Several large bodies of liberal troops were on the march from Northern Mexico to intercept Miramon's expedition against Vera Cruz. Morelia with ...\$124,107 50 | four thousand, were marching upon the city | about three and a half miles from Rectortown Sta-69,102 08 of Mexico. 64,097 24

The Liberals had laid seige to Guadalaja-6,053 00 ra. De Collado had gone to Pueblo to direct 180 00 | the movements of the Liberals, and was con-25,112 64 fident of defeating Miramon. The wife of Miramon had accompained him on his ex-4,500 00 pedition against Vera Cruz, and it was supposed that if he was defeated he would leave the country.

BALTINORE, Feb. 21 .- Flour closed firm-Howd street \$5.37. Wheat closed quiet and steady red \$1.30; white \$1.40@\$1.45. Corn closed firm and active; white 72(a 76c.; yellow 76(a 78c. Library Room, was received, and referred to Pork closed steady; mess \$18@\$18.50; prime mission to Dr. Hogan, one of General Walk-\$13.50(a.\$14; bacon sides 10 to. Whiskey ruled er's officers, to raise a mounted rifle company NEW YORK, Feb. 21,-Flour is firm; State \$5.10 (a \$5.20; Ohio \$5,85(a \$6; Southern \$5.50(a \$5.75. Wheat is quiet and firm; Southern red 126(a 130c. Corn is buoyant; white and yellow State. Pork noyant; old mess \$17.62; new \$18.50; old prime did not meet on the 20th of January, as ex-\$12.50; new \$14.87@\$15. Lard is heavy at 11@ pected; so the canvas of votes for President | 9264 acres, adjoining Tecumseh, and the lands of

New Orleans, Feb. 21.—San Francisco FEBRUARY, rises, sch. MOON'S PHASES. dates to the 20th of December via the San days later than previous advices. 3 Thursday 6 34 5 26 Firstqr., 29 2 40 g

near Georgetown.

Legislature of California, to prevent further Chinese emigration.

cisco, on Butterfield's route.

Schr. M. C. Durfee, Hall, hence for Somerset. Schr. Buena Vista, Robey, from this port for rovidence, and Schr. D. O. Bower, Atchison, for this port, from Providence, were in port at Newport 18th inst, Schr. Hampton, Eddens, from Fredericksburg which is about due here.

> ashore off Cape Sable, is supposed to be the Hungarian, from Liverpool. Vessels are preparing to go to her assistance, the weather being too rough for boats to venture out. It is most probable that all on board the stea. efficiency and success.

Preparations for the 22nd

Washington, Feb. 21.—Several visiting for at the election to be held on the fourth Thurscompanies arrived here to-night, and were

day in May, 1860, and solicits the support of the part of White Onion Selts: Onion Seed; Salsify as amended.

Fifty dollars were appropriated to defray bage Seeds, various kinds; Egg Plant; Large Bell to be swept clean, and a large body of men bage Seeds, various kinds; Egg Plant; Large Bell to be swept clean, and a large body of men bage Seeds, various kinds; Egg Plant; Large Bell to be swept clean, and a large body of men woodhouse, Thomas W. Brockenbrough, esqrs., Richmond, Texas; Jas. Walker, S. Mason, esqrs., Richmond, Texas; Jas. Well abor all night for that purpose. Pepper; Parsley; Beet, various kinds; Early Let- will labor all night for that purpose.

Ratification of Treaties.

still pending, Several Republicans will support it, but its final ratification is still a matter of doubt. The Senate will, how-

Forgery Case in Bangor Me. Bangor, Feb. 20. Benjamin Kimball,

member of the Penobscot bar, was to-day convicted of forging a deposition by which he obtained a divorce from his wife. A motion in the arrest of judgment, and bill of exceptions to the ruling of the Court, is pend-M USIC taught on the PIANO FORTE and MELODEON, at No. 70 South Duke St.

Boston, Feb. 20.-The Sunday night train for New York, met with detention in Southboro,' from snow, and an engine was consid-W ANTED TO HIRE, for the present year, a boro, from snow, and an engine was considerably damaged by being thrown from the

> New York Bank Statement. ment of the city banks shows an increase of \$869,000 in loans; \$803,000 in specie; \$1,854-

000 in deposits, and a decrease of \$135,000

Cabin Passage, with elegant State Room accom- in circulation. From Washington.

Washington, Feb. 21.-The 7th Regiment of New York Volunteers will arrive here early to-morrow morning. Much regret is expressed that the Virginia Regiment can-

The steamer THOMAS COLLYER not be present. Death of Lieut. Thomas, of the Navy. BUFFALO, Feb. 20. - Lieutenant Calvin Frederick Thomas, of the United States navy, died of consumption in this city on Sat-

Movements of Gen. Walker. MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 21.—Gen Walker

bleached sacks, factory filled, 10 sacks to the ton.

500 sacks Worthington's Fine Salt, filled 10 sacks to the ton, in bleached sacks—

Carge of ship "Annie Laurie," from Liverpool,

Boston, Feb. 20. Shoemaker's Strike in Boston. Boston, Feb. 20. - A general strike of operatives n several of the leading shoe manufacturing towns of this State, is arranged for the 22d inst.,

> the new scale of prices. Fire at Brantdford, C. W. BRANTPORD, C. W., Feb. 20 .- The total loss by

\$60,000 is insured, mostly in English companies. In consequence of the calamity, business is at a ted not to get out of order, in 8, 11, 15, 20, 25, 30, complete stand still.

51, 53, and 55 White street, New York. under a capias pro fine, issued from any Court of this Commonwealth, on application to the Court such Court, or the Judge in vacation, as the case may be, may, if to such Court or Judge it shall CASH CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$208,810.03. appear proper, order the person so in jail to be released from imprisonment, without the payment of In Washington, on Sunday, the 19th instant, at | and solicits a continuance of the liberal pat- the money mentioned in such execution; provided, 3 p. m., HENRY FORREST, in the 54th year of actions are conducted upon the most liberal principles, and its obligations promptly met.

JAMES S. ROGERS, Agent,

feb 11—colmit No. 4 South Wharves. the execution issued, shall have ten days' notice of such application.

> [A copy from the Rolls-Teste-Wa. F. Gor-| pox, Clerk House of Delegates.]



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of a brick DWELLING, beautifully situated,

with eight rooms, four of them 19 or 20 feet

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There is on it a good two story HOUSE, 32 feet square, of Red Free Stone, and a good

Overscer's house. The other improvements are

three miles of the Little River Turnpike, 28 from

the Manassas Gap Railroad. It will be within

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watered, Bull Run passing through the farm.

square, a stone kitchen, servants houses, &c., &c.

NEW OBLEANS, Feb. 21.-Tampico dates of the fencing is of stone. The land is in a high state of improvement. A purchasur can rent out any portion of the land for half the crop, reservforty-five hundred men, and Alveray with "Grassland" farm, upon which I reside, and i

eres, near Aldie, Loudoun county. It is within half a mile of the Little River Turnpike, and a quarter of a mile from a Depot on the contemplat ed Loudoun Branch Railroad. Nearly the whole of it is well set in grass, a portion a very old blue grass sod. It is well watered. There is on it a small HOUSE with two rooms. No. 3, A TIMBER LOT containing about 80 acres, within a quarter of a mile of said Depot. No. 4. TECUMSEH, part in Loudoun and part

From Venezuela

New York, Feb. 21. News from Vene zulea dated at Caraccas on the 28th and Laguayra on the 31st ult., has been received. The central government had granted a comcomposed of foreigners. The Doctor did so, and has received full permission to do all manner of injury to the revolutionists. The Alexandria, and six from Gainesville Station on same gloomy state of affairs continued all over the country. The constitutional Congress 114c. Whiskey is dull at 23 cents. Stocks lower, and Vice President could not be instituted. Latham and others, which he will sell upon very

Antonia route, have been received, being two

Rich surface diggings had been discovered A memorial containing one hundred

thousand names has been presented to the

A telegraph line had been finished for nearly two hundred miles beyond San Fran-

A European Steamer Probably Wrecked. HALIFAX, Feb. 21.—A large steamship is

ashore off Cape Sable. No communication has been had with her yet. It is possibly the Europa, from Liverpool on the 11th, Barrington, N. S., Feb. 20,-The steam

er's lights were seen at 4 o'clock this morning, about half a mile from the Island. The water was so rough that boats could not reach her. Vessels are preparing to go to her assistance. The American Consul has already gone, and we shall probably have authentic information in the morning. LATER.

HALIFAX, Feb. 21.—The large steamer

[Special Dispatch to the Gazette.]

Extensive preparations for to-morrow festivities are in progress, and the whole city is already full of strangers, and jubilant in Va.; Prof. Wm. J. Martin, Chapel Hill, N. C.; expectation of to-morrow. The streets through which the procession is to pass are

Washington, Feb. 21 .- The Senate, in

SALT. -1000 sacks G. A. SALT, just received ever, consider it from day to day, until finally disposal of

Railroad Detention.

track. The passengers would go through by this morning's train from Boston. New York, Feb. 20.—The weekly state

urday night.

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AUCTION SALES.

BY T. M. MCCORMICK-AUCTIONEER.

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF LAND.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced in the case of "Bloxham against Whaley," at November term, 1859, we shall, ON SATURDAY, THE SEVENTH DAY OF APRIL, 1860, at West End, in front of the Tavern of Samuel Catts, offer at public auction to the highest bidder, the REAL ESTATE, in the county of Fairfax, whereof James Bloxham died possessed, being a HOUSE and LOT, on the Little River Turnpike road, at gate No. , where the said James Bloxham resided at the time of his death; and a lot of about TEN and a HALF ACRES of LAND on the said road, very tion, on the Manassus Gap Railroad.

No. 2. CAMANCHE, containing about 300 Taylor. One quarter acre in this lot is reserved. for the grave yard, with the right of egress and

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